App. No. 10/623,936 Amendment dated 1 April 2005 Reply to Office Action of 10/01/2004

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Applicant:

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 1, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks and amendments. The three month period of time for responding to the Office Action of October 1, 2004 has elapsed. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests a three month extension of time up to and including April 1, 2005. Please charge any and all fees, including the three month extension fee of \$510 and the additional independent claim fee of \$100, and any other fees necessitated by this communication in accordance with the credit card authorization form PTO-2038 included herewith.

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Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.